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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77277

Hideaki SHIGA

Allowed: August 30, 2005

Appln. No.: 10/656,236

Group Art Unit: 2652

Confirmation No.: 1090

Examiner: Robert S. TUPPER

Filed: September 8, 2003

For: PC CARD TYPE DRIVE APPARATUS

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

ATTN: MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance accompanying the Notice of Allowability dated August 30, 2005, Applicant submits the following comments:

REMARKS

Applicant submits that the scope of the claims should be governed by the actual claim language and not by the Examiner's reasons for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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